

**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
COMMISSION DIRECTIVE**

ADMINISTRATIVE MATTER

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DATE

**April 24, 2019**

MOTOR CARRIER MATTER

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DOCKET NO.

**2019-57-E**

UTILITIES MATTER

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ORDER NO.

**THIS DIRECTIVE SHALL NOT SERVE AS THE COMMISSION'S ORDER ON THIS ISSUE;  
SUCH ORDER SHALL BE ISSUED AS WRITTEN ORDER NO. 2019-292**

**SUBJECT:**

[DOCKET NO. 2019-57-E](#) - South Carolina Electric & Gas Company's 2019 Annual Update on Demand Side Management Programs and Petition for an Update to Rate Rider - Staff Presents for Commission Consideration South Carolina Electric & Gas Company's 2019 Annual Update on Demand Side Management Programs and Petition for an Update to Rate Rider.

**COMMISSION ACTION:**

This item comes before us today for consideration of South Carolina Electric & Gas Company's 2018 Annual Update on Demand-Side Management Programs and SCE&G's Petition for an update to the associated rate rider.

With regard to the rate rider, I note that both SCE&G and the Office of Regulatory Staff assert that the company is entitled to recover in this proceeding. \$13,765,392 as amortization of program costs, also \$15,076,448 for net lost revenues, and \$1,463,898 as amortization for the Shared Savings Incentive, for a total requested recovery of \$30,305,738.

I move to approve the revised DSM rate rider figures as set out in Exhibit 8 to the company's filing and Exhibit 1 of the ORS report. These rates will be effective for bills rendered on or after the first billing cycle of May 2019. A residential customer using 1000 kilowatt-hours per month would have a bill reduction of approximately 37 cents.

With this rider, I move that the company file its revised tariff within 10 days of the receipt of the order on this issue.

Further, in this docket, Walmart Stores East and Sam's East, as well as the South Carolina Coastal Conservation League and Southern Alliance for Clean Energy, filed letters or comments regarding the company's current DSM programs and rider petition. I want to set forth this Commission's expectations regarding the DSM Potential Study which SCE&G is currently conducting. SCE&G has stated that it plans to present the findings of its study to the SCE&G Energy Efficiency Advisory Group prior to filing the study with the Commission and that it anticipates the study and portfolio recommendations will be completed by the end of June 2019.

I want SCE&G to be on notice and to be fully aware that this Commission expects the company to consider the comments of the SCE&G Energy Efficiency and Advisory Group, as well as comments from Intervenorors such as Walmart, South Carolina Coastal Conservation League, Southern Alliance for Clean Energy, ORS, and others, in improving the DSM programs, and that this Commission expects the company to continue to engage in collaborative efforts to improve its DSM programs. Further, when the study is filed for review, SCE&G should be aware that the Commission will be assessing SCE&G's collaborative efforts, including considerations of comments and suggestions offered by the Intervenorors and interested parties to the DSM program.

PRESIDING: Randall

SESSION: Regular

TIME: 2:00 p.m.

	MOTION	YES	NO	OTHER
BELSER	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
ERVIN	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
HAMILTON	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
HOWARD	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
RANDALL	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
WHITFIELD	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
WILLIAMS	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

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RECORDED BY: J. Schmieding

